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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 23, 2004, kindly amend the above-  
identified patent application as follows:

**IN THE TITLE:**

*Please cancel the existing title and replace it with the following:*

**HUMIDIFIER WITH PARALLEL GAS FLOW PATHS**